

GENERAL FACT SHEET

11R-68

BILL NUMBER

BRIEF TITLE

Naming of park area generally located
at So. 2nd & South Streets as Sampson
Park

APPROVAL DEADLINE

REASON

DETAILS

POSITIONS/RECOMMENDATIONS

<p>The proposed resolution authorizes naming of the area of park land where Sherman Field and Midget Football Fields are located as Sampson Park in recognition of a leadership gift by Sampson Construction Co. to the Sherman Field renovation project. This area is bounded on the north by South Street, on the east by BNSF Railroad right-of-way and Park Blvd., on the south by Van Dorn Street, and the extension of South 1st Street on the west.</p> <p>Sampson Construction Co. has committed to secure and provide in-kind donations to the Sherman Field renovation project with an estimated value of \$445,000. John Sampson has indicated that the family would like the recognition to be a tribute to his parents Morris "Sam" and Evelyn Sampson.</p> <p>The guidelines for naming parks facilities state that a facility may be named in recognition of a gift sufficient to provide for the on-going care of the facility.</p>	Sponsor	
	Program Departments, or Groups Affected	All automated departments Parks & Recreation
	Applicants/ Proponents	Applicant Lynn Johnson City Department Parks & Recreation Other
	Opponents	Groups or Individuals Basis of Opposition
<p>The endowment for Sherman Field has been established at \$400,000. The leadership gift from Sampson Construction is in excess of this amount. Sherman Field was named in recognition of sportscaster Cy Sherman, and is a long-standing recognized name. Therefore, staff is recommending that the surrounding park area be named as Sampson Field in recognition of the leadership gift from Sampson Construction Co.</p> <p>The Parks & Recreation Advisory Board unanimously recommended approval of the proposed naming of the subject park area as Sampson Park during their regular meeting on March 10, 2011.</p>	Staff Recommendations	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> For <input type="checkbox"/> Against Reason Against
	Board or Commission Recommendation	BY Parks & Recreation Advisory Board <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> For <input type="checkbox"/> Against <input type="checkbox"/> No Action Taken <input type="checkbox"/> For with revisions or conditions (See Details column for conditions)
	CITY COUNCIL ACTIONS (For Council Use Only)	<input type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Pass (As Amended) <input type="checkbox"/> Council Sub. <input type="checkbox"/> Without Recommendation <input type="checkbox"/> Hold <input type="checkbox"/> Do not Pass

POLICY/PROGRAM IMPACT

	POLICY OR PROGRAM CHANGE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> YES Proposed naming is consistent with guidelines for naming of parks and recreation facilities.
	OPERATIONAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT	_____ _____ _____
	FINANCES	
	COST AND REVENUE PROJECTIONS	COST of total project: \$ _____ COST of this Ordinance/ Resolution \$ _____
		RELATED annual operating Costs \$ _____
INCREASE REVENUE EXPECTED/YEAR \$ _____		
SOURCE OF FUNDS	CITY [Approximately] _____ \$ _____ % _____ \$ _____ % _____ \$ _____ %	
	NON CITY [Approximately] _____ \$ _____ % _____ \$ _____ % _____ \$ _____ %	
	BENEFIT COST	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Front Foot <input type="checkbox"/> Square Foot	Average Assessment \$ _____ \$ _____

APPLICABLE DATES:

FACT SHEET PREPARED BY:

REVIEW BY:

REFERENCE NUMBER